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Attention: Trademark Trial And Appeal Board

**Re: Request for Extension of Time in Which to
File Notice of Opposition
Mark: V (Stylized)
Serial No.: 75/826,784 (Classes 9, 14, 18 & 21)
Applicant: Versani Silver Jewelry Ltd.
Published: July 24, 2001**

Dear Sir or Madam:

Enclosed is an original and two copies of a Request for Extension of Time in Which to File a Notice Of Opposition, submitted by our client, Vans, Inc., in connection with the above-referenced application.

Please note the date of receipt of this submission on the enclosed postcard and return it to the undersigned.

Kindly address any communications concerning this matter to the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

Carol Anne Been

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Enclosures

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N. Saito, Shashank S. Upadhye, Alison P. Schwartz, Michael B. Sachs, Wenyu T. Ho, Brian J. Gill, Daniel G. Goldwin, Elizabeth Warren-Mikes and Jane L. Froyd all of Sonnenschein Nath & Rosenthal, respectfully requests an extension of time of sixty (60) days, to and including **October 22, 2001**, within which to file a Notice of Opposition to registration of the above mark.

Petitioner needs the requested extension of time to investigate the above application, discuss the matter of protecting Petitioner's rights, and consider the propriety of filing a Notice of Opposition against the subject mark.

Favorable consideration of this Request is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

By: 
One of the Attorneys for
Petitioner

Dated: August 10, 2001

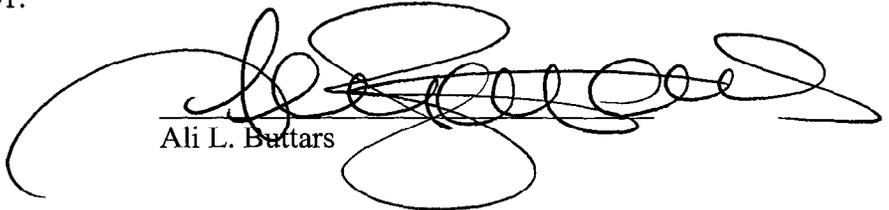
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